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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Applicant	:	Inose, et al.
App. No	:	10/553,376
Filed	:	October 19, 2005
For	:	METHOD FOR ISOLATING NUCLEIC ACIDS, AND A KIT AND APPARATUS FOR NUCLEIC ACID ISOLATION
Examiner	:	Bertagna, Angela Marie
Art Unit	:	1637

**Mail Stop RCE**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being made as follows:

1. Submission Required under 37 CFR 1.114:

(X) Enclosed is an Amendment in 15 pages.

2. Fees:

FEE CALCULATION				
FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
RCE Fee		1801 (\$810)		\$810
3 Month Extension		1253 (\$1,050)		\$1,050
			<b>TOTAL FEE DUE</b>	<b>\$1,860</b>

(X) An extension of time is hereby requested by payment of the appropriate fee indicated above.

3. Payment:

(X) The amount of \$1,860 will be paid via EFS Web.

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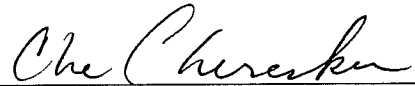
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Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,  
KNOBBE MARTENS OLSON & BEAR LLP

Dated: February 27, 2008



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